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PROGNOSIS OF THE NEOPLASIA

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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 December 5, 2003

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Reply in the above-identified application.

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particularly, extension of time fees.

Respectfully submitted,

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